

## PIERPONT MORGAN READY TO TESTIFY

Arrives in Washington to Appear  
Before Money Trust Investi-  
gating Committee.

MAY BE CALLED THURSDAY

Before He Is Questioned Mass of  
Statistical Matter Must  
Go in Record.

Washington, December 17.—J. Pierpont Morgan arrived in Washington to-night to answer a subpoena to testify before the House Committee on Banking and Currency, investigating the so-called money trust. Mr. Morgan expected to testify before the committee to-morrow, but it is probable he will not be reached on the list of witnesses before Thursday, according to the plan of investigation arranged out by Samuel Untermyer, counsel for the committee.

A party of nearly a score accompanied Mr. Morgan in a special train that brought him from New York. As he alighted from the train and made his way through the deserted station to his automobile, he was accompanied by his daughter, Miss Ann E. Morgan. In the party were Mr. Morgan's partners in the firm of J. P. Morgan and Company, Thomas W. Lamont and H. P. Davison; Joseph H. Choate, John O. Spooner and Richard S. Lindsay, Jr., of counsel for Mr. Morgan; J. P. Morgan, Jr., and a staff of clerks and stenographers.

Mr. Morgan and his party were conveyed to a suite in a local hotel. A number of automobiles met the party at the station and hurried the Morgan train to the hotel, where it was picked up by a rear elevator to the hotel rooms.

Several witnesses on hand for the committee would not discuss the prospects for the examination of Mr. Morgan. He did say, however, that the investigation must proceed in its proper order, that several witnesses now on hand were to be examined to-morrow. The committee will first take up the main head of the money trust inquiry, relating to the "concentration of money and credits" and it is on this point that Mr. Morgan will be examined. Before he is questioned, however, a mass of statistical matter will be placed in the record.

The attraction of money from small banks throughout the country to New York City when the New York money market shows a high rate for loans was taken up to-day by the House money trust investigating committee. J. B. Niven, an accountant, who investigated the subject for the committee, presented a mass of statistics showing the amount of money held for country banks by thirty-two New York City banks and trust companies, and the amount of money loaned on stock market securities in New York by these country correspondents.

Mr. Niven's figures showed 18,615 accounts for country banks in the New York institutions. He explained that because the banks would not furnish him with the names of their country correspondents, some of these accounts might be duplicates in cases where country banks maintained an account with more than one New York bank.

**Money Market High.**  
In these thirty-two banks, Mr. Niven said, on November 1 country banks had on deposit \$485,000,000, and in addition had loaned on New York Stock Exchange securities \$246,480,000. At that time, he said, the money market was high. On July 1, with money easy, he said the country banks had



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only \$111,000,000 out in Stock Exchange loans.

The accountant gave individual figures for a number of the banks which furnished him statements as to their out-of-town business.

Frederick Lewisohn, member of a banking firm of New York, to-day consented to reply to questions which he declined to answer yesterday. The questions related to profits of the syndicate which launched the stock of the California Petroleum company on the stock market. Mr. Lewisohn placed in the record the syndicate agreement under which the stock was sold and the participation letters which assigned the shares of the deal taken by Lewisohn, William Solomon & Co. and Harkarten & Co.

"You have hesitated," said Mr. Untermyer, "to tell the committee how much of this stock listed on the exchange was a profit to yourself and your associates. Do you regard that as your private business?"

"Yes."

"But do you think the public ought to know how much of a stock listed on the exchange represents the profit of brokers and intermediaries and how much represents the real price of the property to the vendors?" asked Mr. Untermyer.

**Night Benefit Public.**  
Mr. Lewisohn said he thought such knowledge might benefit the investing public.

"Don't you know that the United States is the only country in the civilized world where it is not required to make such information public?" asked the lawyer.

"I know that there is such a law in England. I don't know about other

countries," replied Mr. Lewisohn. He said he would favor such a law in the United States as benefiting investors.

"Don't you think the investing public is entitled to a price fixed by fair and open competition in the market, instead of a price fixed by manipulation?"

"Yes, that is right."

"Can you see any difference between selling stock by manipulation and selling jewelry at a mock auction?" asked Mr. Untermyer.

Mr. Lewisohn was not prepared to answer.

### SECOND-STORY MAN GETS \$225.

Enters T. E. Brown's House Through Window and Makes Rich Haul.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]  
Berryville, Va., December 17.—A burglar entered the home of T. E. Brown, a merchant here, which adjoins a store on the corner of Main and Church Streets Monday night. He entered through a second-story window by a ladder and took \$225 from Mr. Brown's trousers pockets, also a valuable watch belonging to Mr. Brown. He hung the trousers on the street door and fled. Cartridges were found along Main Street, and a rifle was found by the railroad track. Brown and his wife were asleep in the room and heard no noise.

### Cincinnati—Yeakley.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]  
Harrisonburg, Va., December 17.—D. H. Cincinnati and Miss Esther Yeakley were married this morning at Clearbrook, Frederick County. They will live in Harrisonburg.

## READY TO OFFER ADVICE TO WILSON

Many Members of Congress  
Likely to Visit Him in  
New Jersey.

Washington, December 17.—Many members of Congress are expected to slip over to Trenton, N. J., during the next few weeks for conferences with Woodrow Wilson, the President-to-be. No Senators or Representatives will admit any time has been fixed for a meeting with Mr. Wilson, but a number of them say they expect to go before very long.

Several of Mr. Wilson's advisers in Congress have been testing the views of prominent Democrats as to Cabinet material, and they will be prepared to give Mr. Wilson a pretty good line on Democratic sentiment toward the placing of this or that man in the Cabinet or in other places of prominence in the Wilson administration. Senators Hoke Smith, of Georgia, O'Gorman, of New York; Gore, of Oklahoma; Reed and Stone, of Missouri, are practically sure to be invited by Mr. Wilson to come to Trenton. From the House it is expected that Speaker Clark, Chairman Underwood, Representatives A. Mitchell Palmer, of Pennsylvania, and Henry and Burleson, of Texas, probably will go at different times.

**Cabinet Gossip Expected.**  
Cabinet gossip is expected to be at high tide from now until the list of the President's official family is announced by Mr. Wilson. Members of Congress who were close advisers of the President-to-be during the campaign, profess to believe that Mr. Wilson has not made up his list of Cabinet advisers, and that he will hear what the leaders of Congress have to say with an open mind. Each Senator and Representative in Democratic ranks thinks he is sure of several names which will be on the list, but they are not willing to declare that Mr. Wilson has made an unchangeable decision in the case of any of them.

Mr. Wilson probably will hear from Democratic advisers in the Senate as to the efforts of a coterie of Democrats who are endeavoring to bring about what they term "progressive control" in the next Senate, which will have a Democratic majority. This movement has taken definite form as a result of numerous conferences which have been held during the past few days.

## WILL OF SENATOR RAYNER PROBATED

Entire Estate, Worth About  
\$1,000,000 Left Principally  
to His Family.

Baltimore, December 17.—By the will of the late Senator Rayner, probated in the Orphans' Court yesterday, nearly his entire estate, said to be worth about \$1,000,000, is left in trust for the benefit of his widow, Mrs. Frances Rayner; their son, William B. Rayner; the son's wife, Margaret Coulter Rayner, and the son's three children, Archibald Coulter Rayner, Frances Jane Rayner and Leida Rayner.

The executor named in the will is Mrs. Annie Martin, the nurse of the Senator's grandchildren, and of 119 to Maynard Page, coachman.

No legacy for any religious or charitable purpose is contained in the will. This is explained by the statement that the Senator's wife and son know his intentions with regard to contributing to charitable objects, and he wanted the executor to carry them out without request from him.

Senator Rayner's widow and son and the Safe Deposit and Trust Company are the trustees of all his property. They are to pay out of the income to his widow for life in such installments as she may desire. Upon her death one-third of her share of the income is to be paid to William B. Rayner for life and two-thirds to his children. Upon the death of William B. Rayner his children are to have the entire half of the income left Mrs. Rayner for life.

After paying \$1500 a year to Mrs. William B. Rayner, one-third of the other half of the income is to be paid to William B. Rayner and two-thirds to his children, who are also to get his share upon his death.

The trust is to terminate upon the death of Senator Rayner's wife, son and three grandchildren. The entire estate is then to be divided among the descendants of the grandchildren. If they leave no descendants the estate is to pass to the Senator's heirs.

The bequest to Mrs. William B. Rayner, it is explained, is in accordance with an agreement made with her upon the condition that she and William B. Rayner live together as husband and wife, and that she is not to claim any support or alimony from any income or estate of her husband.

The trustees are empowered to pay William B. Rayner \$5,000 at any time he wishes in addition to what is given him by the will. They are also empowered to pay each of William B. Rayner's three children \$5,000 after he or she is thirty years old.

Should William B. Rayner have other children, he is authorized by the will to bequest them \$5,000 out of the estate.

It is stated in the will that any legatee attacking it shall forfeit all share in the estate, and that the provision for the Senator's widow is in lieu of her dower and thirds.

The widow was constituted sole executrix without bond. A nominal bond for \$1000 will be given to cover the cost of administering the estate.

The will was made February 12, 1900, and has annexed a codicil dated March 29, 1900, which does not change any of its provisions.

### SUPERVISORS OFFER REWARD FOR MURDERERS

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]  
Fredericksburg, Va., December 17.—The Board of Supervisors of Spotsylvania County has offered a reward of \$200 for the apprehension and conviction of the party or parties who murdered Mansfield Thornton and his wife Friday night near this city.

George Scott, colored, who was arrested on suspicion, was taken from the jail here last night and carried to the jail at Spotsylvania Courthouse. Further investigations are being made.

H. R. Northrop, son of H. R. Northrop, of this city, has accepted a position with the Virginia Railway Passenger and Power Company, of Richmond, and left this week to assume his duties there.

The play "Alice in Wonderland" was given last night at the State Normal School here by fifty students in the auditorium of Russell Hall. The performance was a marked success in every particular, the costumes being especially striking, and every feature of the play being carried out in a most attractive and effective way. The costumes were designed by Miss Hinkman, and were made by the students of the manual arts department of the school. The pianists were Miss Margaret Fraser and Miss Grace Edwards. The large audience, which included many from this city, was highly entertained and delighted in every way with the elegant performance.

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## WEDDING LIKELY TO BE IN JANUARY

No Definite Date Set for Mar-  
riage of Miss Helen Gould  
and Mr. Shepard.

New York, December 17.—George Gould announced yesterday afternoon that although no definite date has been set for the wedding of his sister, Miss Helen Miller Gould, and Finley J. Shepard, in all probability the ceremony would take place some time in January.

"The wedding will be very quiet," said Mr. Gould. "The recent death of Mr. Shepard's father and Miss Gould's dislike for the spectacular would necessitate this. The wedding list will include only the immediate family, I understand."

The reporter then called at Miss Gould's home. Miss Gould, when asked for an interview, laughed and shook her head.

Later Miss Gould's secretary gave out this statement:

"Miss Gould thanks the press very much for their good wishes, but, as you know, she never permits any one to interview her, and the mere fact of a marriage will not cause her to change her attitude now."

"George Gould is now the head of the family, and all statements must come from him. We are all delighted at the wonderful happiness that has come to Miss Gould, but you must not disturb her serenity by insisting upon seeing her. Beyond admitting the truth of the engagement, she does not care to say anything."

**Shepard Desisted With Inquiries.**  
St. Louis, Mo., December 17.—Finley J. Shepard's business offices were transformed yesterday into an impromptu reception room, and the railroad man was compelled to give much less attention to the daily routine that has characterized his activities heretofore.

The telephone buzzed an inquisitive and insistent accompaniment symbolic of all the questions the outside world was anxious to know.

The following are sample inquiries: "Hello, Mr. Shepard. We would like to know how much salary you're getting."

"Mr. Shepard, do you think your marriage to Miss Gould will result in a discontinuance of her charities and interest in social conditions?"

"This is a close friend of yours, Mr. Shepard, who desires to remain unknown, but I really am a very good friend of yours and would like to know definitely just when the wedding will be and if it will be on a grand scale."

At the end of the day Mr. Shepard said:

"Notwithstanding some of the unpleasant incidents consequent to becoming a 'personage' overnight, I am so happy I can scarcely keep my feet on the floor. Of course, I am anxious to get to New York, and expect to go there within two or three days."

### Cox-Quinn.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]  
Fredericksburg, Va., December 17.—Miss Nannie Cox, daughter of the late Captain S. J. Quinn and Mrs. Quinn, of this city, was united in marriage to Dr. William O'Connor Cox, of Port Blackmore, at the Baptist Church to-night at 8:30 o'clock. The service was impressively performed by Rev. R. Aubrey Williams, pastor of the church. The auditorium of the church was beautifully decorated with roses, palms, ferns and ivy. The wedding music was played by Mrs. Mary Quinn-Hicks at the organ, a sister of the bride.

Miss Martha DuVal Quinn, a sister of the bride, sang "The Dawn," which preceded the ceremony. She wore a costume of silk green messaline with chiffon drapery and carried Killarney roses. A quartet composed of Misses Louise and Evelyn Nixie and B. F. Bullock and M. B. Willis, Jr., sang "Wagner's" "Bridal Chorus" from "Lohengrin" during the entrance of the bride party. Miss Cox wore a gown of black and white, and was the maid of honor and wore a corn-colored messaline gown with chif-

on and carried Killarney roses. Dr. Edwin Cox, of Gate City, acted as best man. The ushers were Josiah P. Cox, Jr., and Stuart Williams. The bride was given away by her brother, Silvanus Bryan Quinn. She wore a dark blue traveling gown, with hat and gloves to match, and carried ivory roses.

Following the ceremony a reception was tendered the bridal party at the home of the bride, after which Dr. and Mrs. Cox left for a Northern bridal trip.

Among the out-of-town guests were William B. Quinn, of Cleveland, Ohio, a brother of the bride; Mrs. A. D. Alexander, Mr. and Mrs. Edward L. Carter, of Washington; Dr. John A. Lloyd, of Dublin; James R. Hicks, of Richmond; J. A. Broadus Dillard, of Virginia Military Institute; Miss Ida Evelyn Gray, of Milford; Arthur P. Ayling, of Wheeling, W. Va.

### DECLAMATION CONTEST AT HARRISONBURG SCHOOL.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]  
Harrisonburg, Va., December 17.—In the annual declamation contest last night Miss Virginia Zirkle, daughter of L. A. Zirkle and Cecil Moore, son of Holmes Moore, won the gold medal offered annually by a Harrisonburg paper. There were eight in the contest, four boys and four girls.

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all students of the Harrisonburg High School.

The judges were D. Wampler Earman, Miss Virginia Paul and Miss Ruth Hudson, of the State Normal faculty.

### WANTED IN WEST VIRGINIA

**Serious Charge Against Former Head of Child's Shelter.**

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